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G.O. No. 1876

Dated 15-4-48

[Despatch Abstract.]

Accounts - Write off - Cash Silk filatures, Kollegal - Stock deficiency for the year 1946-46 - Shortage in the stock of Cocoons due to Drought - Write off - Sanctioned.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE.

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From

Sri. P. Govinda Menon, B.E.,
Joint Director of Industries & Commerce,
Madras.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Fort St. George, Madras.

No. 6779-D/46 dated 18th March 1948.

Sir,

Sub:- Industries - Sericulture - Government Sericulture Filature, Kollegal - Stock Verification for the year 1945-46 - Shortage in the Stock of Cocoons - write off proposals

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The Stock Verification of the Government Sericulture Filature, Kollegal, for the year ended 1945-46 was conducted by the Sericultural Expert, Government Sericulture Filature, Kollegal, during July to September 1946 and it was found from the reports of stock verification that a quantity of 529 lbs 4 oz. of Cocoons was found as excess. The Sericultural Expert had stated as follows:- "The bulk quantity of Cocoons in stock was in perfectly dried condition and was packed in drill cloth bags in measured quantities in each bag. The number of bags was carefully counted and test check was conducted by weighment and measurement methods to arrive at the real weight in a few cases.

The calculated raw weight arrived at works out to only less than 1/2 % excess over the book stock. It is therefore considered that the book balance of stock of cocoons is correct."

It will be seen from the above statement of the stock verifying Officer that the method adopted by him to verify the stock of cocoons was only an approximate one and that the stock as per the stock book may be taken as correct. The General Manager, Government Silkculture Filature, therefore did not take in the excess quantity into stock. The omission to take into stock was later pointed out by audit and the General Manager, Government Sericulture Filature was told that according to the provision of the Financial Rules, the excess should be taken into stock. Accordingly this excess was taken into stock by the General Manager who however, reported that as the excess is an artificial one, it must be followed by the write off of an equal quantity. He pointed out in support of this that during the quarterly verification conducted by the Manager (Tech) Government Silkculture Filature, some time after the anual verification by the Sericultural Expert, the stock of cocoons was found to be correct and as such if the quantity found in excess originally was real, there should be an equivalent shortage due to dryage during the intervening period.

The General Manager has further explained that as the method adopted by the stock verifying officer was only an approximate one, the results could not be taken as accurate. The nature of the commodity is such that its weight and volume changes with the changes of temperature and humidity, as cocoon is highly hygroscopic.

I also consulted the Accountant-General, Madras, in the matter and he has stated that there is no objection to a reasonable percentage being fixed with the approval of Government to cover the dryage due to whether conditions in the results of stock verification of cocoons in future.

This percentage has to be fixed after carrying out scientific tests. This is being taken up and a report will be submitted to Government in due course. The Accountant-General suggested that excess or shortage found till the above percentage is fixed, be dealt with as per Art.145 of the M.F.C. Vol.1.

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In the circumstances stated above, I request that Government may be pleased to sanction the write off of a sum of Rs.661-9-0.(Rupees six hundred and sixty one and annas nine only) being the value of 529 lbs. 4 oz. of cocoons at Rs.1-4-0 per lb found short in the quarterly stock verification of cocoons in the Government Sericulture, Silk Filature, Kollegal.

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for. Joint Director of Industries & Commerce.

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SUBJECT:— ACCOUNTS-Write off- Government Silk Filature, Kollegal-Stock verification for the year 1945-46-Shortage in the Stock of cocoons due to dryage - Write off - Sanctioned.

READ AGAIN ....., dated ..... 19.....

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READ *ALSO*:—

C. No. 33757 D2/48 From the D. I. & C. ....., No. 6779/D/46 dated 18/3/ 19 48.

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Order ~~Resolution~~ Ms. ~~Rectx~~ No. 1876, dated 15 - 4 - 19 48

Sanction is accorded to the write off of a sum of Rs.661-9-0 (Rupees six hundred and sixty one and annas nine only) being the value of 529 lbs. 4 ozs. of cocoons at Rs. 1-4-0 per lb. found short in the quarterly stock verification of cocoons for the year 1945-46 in the Government Silk Filature Kollegal.

2. The above shortage has been stated by the D.I.& C as due to the dryage of the cocoons after the annual stock verification ~~in July to September 1946~~. For the purpose of fixing a percentage in respect of the change of weight due to the changes of temperature and humidity, the D.I.& C is requested ~~to see that~~ scientific tests ~~are carried out~~ and submit a report ~~thereon~~ to the Government at an early date.

To The D.I.& C.

" A.G. through Finance.

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Please see D.I.& C's letter at pp 1-3 c.

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In view of the reasons stated by the D.D.C. at p.1/c, his proposal to write off the value of the cocoon may be accepted. Subject to orders, a draft order is submitted overleaf for approval. It may issue after acceptance by Finance

CPP 1.4.48

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In the circumstances stated in p11-3/c/ by the D.D.C. the draft order overleaf may be accepted.

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The draft order overleaf may now issue

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Issued as G.O. No. 1876 Ms. Dev. dt. 15-4-48 P.S. 4/48

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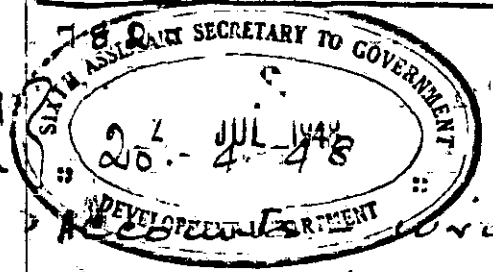
Extract of CB Entry from DI Register

S. No 78

Date of entry in the Register 20-7-48



Subject 7,3412 Weevil-affected Gowt Silk Filature Kollegal. Stock verification - Shortage in the stock of cocoons due to disease - write off - Scientific Asst- Report.

Old C.No. 33757 DI/48

No and date of Govt. authorising the entry. G.O. 1826 dt 15.4.48 PS to CF (T)

Date when further action is to be taken 1.7.48

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Memo No 7341287/68 - 1 Dt 7-11-68

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2 Drafts

Sub: Accounts. Write off - GSP, Kollegal - Stock verification - Shortage in the Stock of Sandal due to Drying - Write off - Scientific test - Report

Ref: G.O. No. 1876 MS Dev. Dt 15-11-68.

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P.S. C.F. (T)

The attention of the Dir is invited to para 2 of the G.O. read above and he is requested to state when the report called for therein may be expected

P.S. C.F. (T)

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... To the Dy. Dir. Dy 25.12.68

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DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE.

Letter No. D.I/6779/46 dated 19th July 1948. 80350

From: Sri P. Govinda Menon, B.E.,
Joint Director of Industries and Commerce, Madras.

To: The Secretary to Government
Development Department,
Fort St.George, Madras.

Sir,

Sub: Accounts - Write off - Government Silk Filatures, Kollegal - Stock verification - Shortage in the stock of cocoons due to dryage write off - Scientific test - report.
Ref: Gover ment memo No. 73412-D.I/48-1 d/7-7-48.

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Experiments for the determination of permissible driages in cocoons have been going on at the Government Silk Filatures, Kollegal for some time now and as the nature of the commodity is such that changes in temperature and humidity with changes in seasonal conditions affect the percentage driage, they have to be necessarily spread over a long period.

The Sericultural Expert, Government silk Filatures, Kollegal has been asked to submit his report as early as possible and, on receipt of this, I shall submit this report to Government.

for Joint Director of Industries and Commerce.

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To AS

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Instructed for perusal of p.s above. The papers may be lodged and added to G.D. 1876 dtd 15-4-48 vide a CB entry against 10-10-48 vide Dte may be discussed w.r.t. the report ~~passed~~ processed by him

Entered in CB. as SNo 799 against 10.10.48 CA 28/7/48

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Industries and Commerce Department.

From
The Joint Director of Industries and Commerce,
Triplicane, Madras.

To
The Secretary to Government,
Development Department,
Madras.

No. 6779 D.1/48 dated 18-11-48.

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Sir

Sub: Industries - Sericulture - Government Silk Filatures Kollegal - shortage due to dryage in the stock of cocoons - scientific experiments to determine percentage of dryages - regarding.

Ref: This office letter No. 6779 D.1/48 d/19-7-48.

In para 2 of the G.O. No. 1876 Dev. dated 15-4-48 Government ordered that scientific tests for the purposes of fixing a percentage in respect of the change in weight of cocoons due to the changes in temperature and humidity may be carried out in the Government Silk Filatures, Kollegal. Even though certain experiments have been carried out, the results arrived cannot be taken as complete because the cocoons in stock are in various stages of conditioning, while the book balance is in terms of green weight and the adoption of ratios to convert in terms of green weight may not be correct. The Sericultural Expert, Kollegal has however been asked to continue the experiements so that results observed over a long period may be compared. For the present, I have decided not to fix any permissible percentage limits for the difference in the weight of cocoons found in stock verification. Any excesses or deficits found during the stock verification will be dealt with as per the rules under the M.F.C.

for JOINT DIRECTOR OF INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE

kap. 24-11.

Copy to the Sericultural Expert, Government Silk Filatures, Kollegal.

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Dev. Dept. D.I.

To AS.

Submitted for perusal & p.l. above.

The N.I.O.C. has stated that even though certain experiments have been carried out, the results arrived at cannot be taken as complete owing to the fact that the cocoons in stock are in various stages of conditioning while the book balances are in terms of green weight and the adoption of ratios to convert in terms of green weight may not be correct. The Director has however instructed the Sericultural Expert to continue the experiments so that the results observed over a long period may be compared - No action appears called for now. For orders whether this may be lodged and added to the G.O. at (Y) after perusal by Finance.

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B. p.l. above

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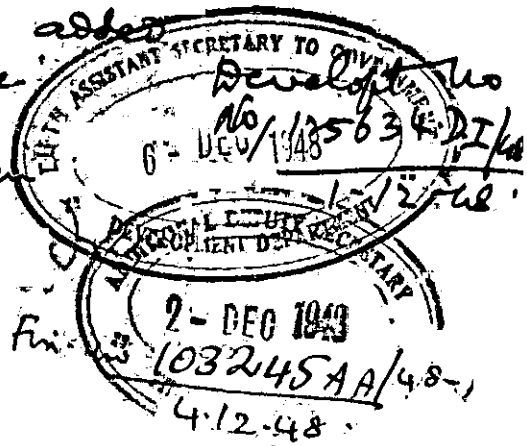

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TOAS Notes on p2 above may be perused. The papers may now be lodged and added to the G.F.O. at (Y).

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Industries and Commerce Department.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Development Department, Madras.

From

The Director of Industries and
Commerce, Madras.

No.2914/D/47 dated 24/3/48.

Sir,

Sub: Industries - Sericulture - Government Silk Filature Kollegal - Temporary staff - Retrenchment proposals.

Ref: This office letter 2914/D/47 dated 5/1/48.

I have examined the question of effecting further reduction in the staff in the Government Silk Filature. The Sericultural Expert has reported that there is no need for a silk Testing Officer on the present scale of Rs.180-5-200-10-240 and that it should suffice if the grade for this post is fixed at Rs.90-5-130 which is the scale sanctioned for Filature Assistant. I agree with the recommendation of the Sericultural Expert and request that Government may be pleased to order the reduction in the scale of pay of the silk Testing Officer, Government Silk Filature Kollegal as proposed above with immediate effect.

for Director of Industries and Commerce.

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SUBJECT:— Industries - Sericulture - Govt. Silk Filatures, Kollegal - Tempy. staff - Retrenchment - Scale of pay of Silk Testing officer - Reduced.

READ AGAIN G.O. 520 MS Dev, dated 4 — 2 — 1948

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READ *ALSO*:—

No. 36253 D1/48 From the D. of C., No. 2914 D/47 dated 24-3-1948

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Order / ~~Resolution~~ Ms. / ~~Rout.~~ No. 899, dated 16/4/1948

The Govt. approve the proposal of the D. of C. for the reduction of the scale of pay of the Silk Testing officer, Govt. Silk Filatures, Kollegal and direct that the scale of pay of Rs 180-5-200-10-240 p.m. now attached to the post be reduced to Rs 90-5-130 p.m. with immediate effect.

To The D. of C.

" A.G. through Fin.

Copy to S.F.

To A.S.

With reference to the letter of the D. of C. at p 1/c, a draft order is submitted above for approval. It may be sent to Finance for acceptance

ASST. SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT
6 APR 1948
FINANCE DEPARTMENT

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Finance & P...

The draft order annexed may be accepted and the file returned in accordance with Saving Staff with Rs 1232 p.a.

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To A&S

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